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SORTMENT OF THE LATEST EUROPEAN
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WE ARE PREPARED TO EXPOUSE
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BUSINESS Notices.

THE GREAT RACE FOR THE

KOPS CHALLENGE CUP.

(Value £125.)

At Catford, August 8, 1896.

At the East London
Trade Exhibition the
Duke and Duchess of
York,

"At Kops Ale Stand,
at took of a refreshing
draught of that whole-
some beverage."

Extract from the
East London Advertiser,
June, 27, 1896.

Sole Agents:
WATKINS & CO.,
HONGKONG.

15 GOLD MEDALS TWO—MILLION Bottles Sold in ONE WEEK. 2147

DICK'S (LATE HANNAY'S)

PATENT COMPOSITION.

UNSURPASSED AS AN ANTI-FOULING & ANTI-CORROSION COMPOSITION

for Ship's Bottoms.

In one year—The Ocean S. S. Co., Liverpool, coated 36,167 tons; The Guard S. S. Co.,

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In use also by THE EMPRESS LINE.

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THE HONGKONG BUTCHERY.

VEAL SAUSAGES.

25 CENTS per pound.

J. TATAM, Proprietor.

CLARET MANDOR.

A DINNER CLARET of good quality. Awarded with GOLD MEDAL at the

1893 BORDEAUX EXHIBITION; SILVER MEDAL at the San Francisco EXHIBITION 1894; and the HIGHEST AWARD at the Chicago World's Fair 1893.

Price, \$7.50 per Case of 2 dozen Quart Bottles.

BARRETT & CO., Agents.

No. 8, Duddell Street and Ice House Street.

Intimations.

NOTICE.

IN the Spring of the present year, owing
to the continued wet weather, the
flower of tea was not strong. The produc-
tion of our SUNSHINE OOLONG TEA, which
is Selected for EXTRIOR QUALITY was very
small, and the STOCK was SOON SOLD
OUT.

It has lately come to our Notice that
some Dealers have been selling the SUN-
SHINE OOLONG to fraudulently pass off
inferior TEAS; this has interfered with
our Business, and Disappointed Buyers;
consequently we beg to point out that we
have SOLD of our SUNSHINE OOLONG
TEA during the Year only the following:

J. M. A. RETALLICK, Major.

The Hongkong Regiment, President
Committee of Adjustment.

HEAD QUARTER OFFICE, October 27, 1896. 2170

THE UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY
OF CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

A FINAL BONUS OF FIVE PER
CENT ON CONTRIBUTIONS and a
DIVIDEND OF EIGHTEEN DOLLARS per
Share for the year 1896, will be Payable on
FRIDAY, the 9th Instant.

WARRANTS may be had on application at
the OFFICE of the SOCIETY on and after
that date.

By Order of the Board,

N. J. EDE, Secretary.

Hongkong, October 8, 1896. 2171

AN EFFECTUAL STOP
IS PUT TO ALL ANXIETY

BY THE NEW GUARANTEED CASH
VALUE POLICY

OF THE

'EQUITABLE.'

This Policy provides three things: (1) Protection for the family; (2) Protection for
the assured's later years; (3) A valuable
investment.

When three annual premiums have been
paid the policy acquires yearly thereafter
three distinct GUARANTEED values in
(1) paid-up insurance; (2) Cash; (3) Loan
at 6 per cent.

This policy is pronounced by experienced
men of business to be the best and most
liberal contract of life assurance ever issued;
and it is offered by an office having the
splendid SURPLUS of £8,500,000 sterling
to support its GUARANTEES.

Full Particulars and Illustrations from
the GENERAL AGENTS,

SHEWAN, TOMES & CO., or

J. T. HAMILTON, Manager for the East.

Hongkong, October 27, 1896. 2172

NOTICE.

NEITHER THE MANUFACTURER NOR THE
AGENTS will be RESPONSIBLE for any
DEBT incurred by the Crew of the British
Barque "H. M. S. York."

DODWELL, CARLILL & CO., Agents.

Hongkong, October 27, 1896. 2173

NOTICE.

PLUM BAG LTD. LTD.

NOTICE.

THE CHINA MAIL.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30, 1896.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION
OF
OLD CHINESE PORCELAIN, OLD
CURIOS, EMBROIDERIES, ETC.

THE Undersigned having just received
from His Honor will offer for Sale
by Public Auction, on

SATURDAY,

the 31st October, 1896, at 2.30 p.m., at his
Sales Rooms, Duddell Street,

A VERY FINE AND VALUABLE
COLLECTION OF OLD CHINESE
PORCELAIN, ETC.

comprising:-

VASES, JARS, CUPS, BOWLS, PLATES,
etc., SANG DE BOEUF, FIVE COLORS,
BUTTERFLY, APPLEGREEN, HAWTHORN
and other DECORATIONS, from the MING
DYNASTY, the REIGNS of KANGUH,
YUNGCHING, KIULUNG, DOWN TO
MODERN TIMES. OLD PEKIN
CLOISONNE, OLD BRONZE, OLD
LAQUER, BAMBOO and other CRAFTS,
JADE ORNAMENTS, SCREENS, PEKIN SNOW
BOTTLES IN JADE, CRYSTAL, AGATE, POR-
CELAIN, OLD GLASS, ETC.

ONE FINE LOT OF
SILK, BROCADES, PEKIN
BROCADES and other CURIOS.

Catalogues will be issued prior to Sale.
On view from Friday, the 30th October.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash on delivery, in
Bank notes or by Cheques.

GEO. P. LAMMERTT,
Auctioneer.

Hongkong, October 26, 1896. 2196



GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

No. 394.

THE following Particulars and Conditions of SALE of CROWN LAND by PUBLIC AUCTION, to be held on the Spot, on MONDAY, the 2nd day of November, 1896, at 3 p.m., are published for general information.

By Command,
J. H. STEWART LOCKHART,
Colonial Secretary.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
Hongkong, 17th October, 1896. 2150

Particulars and Conditions of the Letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on MONDAY, the 2nd day of November, 1896, at 3 p.m., by Order of His Excellency, the Governor, of Two Lots of Crown Land, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 999 years.

Particulars of the Lots.

Regis- try No.	Locality.	Boundary Measure- ments.	Costs in Pounds.	Annual Rent.	Upper Rate.
Island Lots	South of Kennedy Road.	100' x 125' 25' 20' 30,500 12' 4,620			
1 No. 1,800	Do.	100' x 125' 25' 20' 30,500 12' 4,620			



GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

No. 395.

THE following Particulars and Conditions of SALE of CROWN LAND by PUBLIC AUCTION, to be held on the Spot, on MONDAY, the 2nd day of November, 1896, at 4 p.m., are published for general information.

By Command,
J. H. STEWART LOCKHART,
Colonial Secretary.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
Hongkong, 17th October, 1896. 2151

Particulars and Conditions of the Letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on MONDAY, the 2nd day of November, 1896, at 4 p.m., by Order of His Excellency, the Governor, of One Lot of Crown Land, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 999 years.

Particulars of the Lot.

Regis- try No.	Locality.	Boundary Measure- ments.	Costs in Pounds.	Annual Rent.	Upper Rate.
Marine Lots	West of Old Buildings, Ha-Wan.	10' x 10' 50' 95' 6' 94' 4,870 200 11,188			

To Let.

TO LET.

DWELLING HOUSES—
Nos. 3 and 4, RIBON TERRACE,
2, HILLSIDE, at the PEAK—
FURNISHED
"HARFORD," AT MAGAZINE GATE,
A FLOOR IN BLUE BUILDINGS,
GODOWNS IN BLUE BUILDINGS,
NO. 3, VICTORIA VIEW, KOWLOON.

Apply to

THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-
MENT & AGENCY CO., LTD.
Hongkong, October 29, 1896. 2185

TO LET.

WESTBOURNE VILLAS NORTH and
SOUTH BONHAM ROAD,
IDEWILD, SEYMOUR ROAD,
STOWFORD, BONHAM ROAD.

Apply to

LINSTEAD & DAVIS,
Hongkong, October 23, 1896. 1326

TO LET.

5-ROOMED BUNGALOW, REEDA,
BONHAM ROAD.

Apply to

CHINA MERCHANTS, S. N. CO.,
No. 39, Peppermint Walk,
Hongkong, October 6, 1896. 1177

TOILET.

NOS. 3 AND 5, STEWART TERRACE
—(THE PLATE)

Apply to

J. W. NOBLE,
Hongkong, October 18, 1896. 1745

10-day's Advertisements.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION,
INTERPORT MATCH PRACTICE
COMPETITIONS.

THE Final COMPETITION of this
SERIES will take place TO-
MORROW (SATURDAY), over the 200, 500
and 600 yards distances; conditions as before.

Firing will commence at 2.30 p.m. sharp.

The following MEMBERS are particularly
requested to attend:-

MESRS. BEHRING, FERGUSON, LAMMERTT,
MANN, McDALD, MCLENNAN, ROBERT-
SON, STEWART, SHIPPEE, WHITMORE,
WATSON, WIGGLESWORTH.

F. SMYTH,
Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, October 30, 1896. 2190

In the Matter of Ordinance No. 2 of 1892
AND

In the Matter of the Petition of SIDNEY
LAWRENCE, of No. 169, Queen
Street, Melbourne, in the Colony of
Victoria, Australia, Engineer, for
LETTERS PATENT for the ex-
clusive use within the Colony of
Hongkong, of an Invention for
"Improvements in Merchandise for
and made of Marine Propulsion."

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the
Petition, application and Declaration
are being duly filed in the Office of
Colonial Secretary of Hongkong, and
that it is the intention of the said SIDNEY
LAWRENCE, by HENRY LAMMERTT DENNETT,
his duly authorized Agent and Attorney, to
apply at the sitting of the Executive Council
hereinafter mentioned for LETTERS
PATENT for the exclusive use within the
said Colony of Hongkong of the above-
named Invention.

AND NOTICE IS ALSO HEREBY GIVEN that a Siting of the Executive Council, before
which the matter of the said Petition will
come for decision, will be held in the
COUNCIL CHAMBER, at the Government
Offices, Victoria, Hongkong, on SATUR-
DAY, the 14th November, 1896, at 9.30
a.m.

Dated the 30th day of October, 1896.

H. L. DENNYS,
Solicitor,

[2186] 64 Queen's Road Central,
Agent for the Said SIDNEY LAWRENCE.

VICTORIA CONCERT
HALL

(LATE HALL OF MYSTERIES),
Buddell Street, Queen's Road.

SATURDAY, October 31st.

Under the Patronage of
COLONEL NORCOTT and OFFICERS
OF THE RIFLE BRIGADE.

POPULAR CONCERT.

A POPULAR PROGRAMME,
THE BAND OF THE RIFLE BRIGADE,
LAUGHABLE FARCE.

"THE CLOCK," "THE CLOCK!"

MILITARY SPECTACLE, in which
PTE. FAYE, R. B., will Sing
The Great Patriotic Song.

INDIA'S REPLY.

With Full Chorus, Indian Costumes, and
Stage Effects.

Champion Dancers, Scientific Exhibition
Boxing, "Club Swinging,"
by Sgt. SMYTH, R. B.

Assisted by several well-known Amateurs,
who have offered their services.

The following Songs will be introduced:-

"More Work for the Undertakers,"

"Paradise Alley,"

"The Da-dy Coloured Men," (Same
old dace). (Same old exit.)

"The Booms Why?"

"INDIA'S REPLY."

"Father O'Flynn," "The Skipper,"

"Look out!—DETECTIVE CAMERA," "I've
got you!"

"Courtin' the Widow."

BOOK SALES at W. HOBSON & Co.'s
Music Room, Queen's Road Central.

POPULAR PRICES.—Stalls \$1.00.

Back Seats 50cts.

Gallery 30cts.

Doors Open at 8.30 p.m. Commence at
9 p.m. Sharp.

LIGHTED ENTIRELY BY ELECTRICITY.

This is a Series of Popular Winter Con-
certs under the Management of Mr. C. T.
ROBINSON.

Hongkong, October 30, 1896. 2187

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship

Medusa, Capt. TOWELL, will be
despatched as above TO-

MORROW, the 31st October, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.

Hongkong, October 30, 1896. 2111

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI

The Co.'s Steamship

Kueiyang, for Tientsin.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.

Hongkong, October 30, 1896. 2111

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

The Co.'s Steamship

Medusa, Capt. TOWELL, will be
despatched as above TO-

MORROW, the 31st October, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.

Hongkong, October 30, 1896. 2111

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

The Co.'s Steamship

Kueiyang, for Tientsin.

Notices to Consignees.

GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS,
FROM ANTWERP, LONDON AND
STRAITS.

THE Steamship *Glenys*, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG and KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN CO., LTD., at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded to Consignees to the contrary as given before now, To-day.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 30th instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Consignees are requested to present all Claims for damages and/or shortages not later than the 3rd Prox.; otherwise they will not be recognised.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 30th instant, at 11 a.m.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHeson & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, October 23, 1896. 2132

STEAMSHIP ERNEST SIMONS.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES
MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNERS.

CONSIGNERS of Cargo from London and Havre ex Steamship *Melpomene*, and *Boydcairn* ex Steamships *Ville de Lille*, *Ville de Marsella* and *Verdun*, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods—with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables—are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG & KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN COMPANY, LTD., at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless intimation is received from the Consignees before 4 p.m. To-day (Monday), the 26th Inst., requesting it to be landed here.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Consignees.

Goods remaining unclaimed after Monday, the 2nd November, at noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges.

All Claims must be sent in to me either before MONDAY, the 2nd November, or they will not be recognised.

All Damaged Packages will be examined on MONDAY, the 2nd November, at 3 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
Agent.

Hongkong, October 26, 1896. 2149

NOTICE TO CONSIGNERS.

THE PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL
STREAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S
STEAMER ADEN.

FROM ANTWERP, LONDON AND
STRAITS.

CONSIGNERS of Cargo by the above-named Vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY'S GODOWNS at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

This Vessel brings on Cargo—
From Italy, or a. a. Clyde. From
MADEIRA, ex a. a. Soudan.

Optional Goods will be landed here unless instructions are given to the contrary before 4 p.m. To-day, 29th Inst.

Goods not cleared by the 4th Proximo, at 4 p.m., will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected in any case whatever.

All Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns and a certificate of the damage obtained from the Godown Company within ten days after the vessel's arrival here, after which no Claims will be recognised.

H. A. TIPOHUE,
Superintendent.

Hongkong, October 20, 1896. 2181

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM
NAVIGATION COMPANY,

(Under Mail Contract with the
AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT).

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG,
COLOMBO, BOMBAY, KURRACHEE,
ADEN, SUZU, PORT SAID,
BRINDISI, VENICE, MUMBAI AND
TRISTE.

(Taking Cargo at through rates to
ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTERDAM, LISBON, OPORTO, LONDON,
LIVERPOOL AND BREMEN.)

The Steamship
Hertha,
Capt. in HILDEBRANDT,
will be despatched for the above Port on MONDAY, the 2nd November, at 5 p.m.

This Steamer has superior Accommodation for First and Second Class Passengers and carries a Doctor and a Stewardess.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

SIMSENSEN & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, October 24, 1896. 2138

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM
NAVIGATION COMPANY,

(Under Mail Contract with the
AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT).

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG,
COLOMBO, BOMBAY, KURRACHEE,
ADEN, SUZU, PORT SAID,
BRINDISI, VENICE, MUMBAI AND
TRISTE.

(Taking Cargo at through rates to
CALCUTTA, MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF,
RED SEA, BLACK SEA, LEVANT
and ADRIATIC PORTS.)

TO NATAL, EAST LONDON, PORT
ELIZABETH & CAPE TOWN.

The Co.'s Steamship
Fundabona,
Capt. C. BELEN, will be
despatched as above on
THURSDAY, the 5th November.

Cargo will not be received on board after 3 p.m. prior to date of sailing.

For further information as to Passage
and Freight, apply to

SANDER & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, October 20, 1896. 2182

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship
Sarpedon,

Captain GATES, will be
despatched as above on
MONDAY, the 9th November.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.

Hongkong, October 27, 1896. 2160

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

JAPAN-AUSTRALIAN LINE.

(Under Mail Contract.)

FOR THURSDAY ISLAND, TOWNS-

VILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY
AND MELBOURNE.

The Co.'s Steamship
Osiris Maru,

Capt. C. YOUSE, will be
despatched for the above
Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 18th November, at noon.

This Steamer is fitted with Superior
Passenger Accommodation and is supplied by
Electricity throughout. A duly qualified
Doctor is carried.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

Hongkong, October 27, 1896. 2183

EXTRACLES.

Small Scents from Flowers.

RIGAUD'S WHITE VIOLETS.

RIGAUD'S WHITE ROSE.

RIGAUD'S WHITE JASMINE.

RIGAUD'S WHITE LILAC.

RIGAUD'S WHITE RHODODENDRON.

RIGAUD'S BELGIAN.

RIGAUD'S TIANO-LILAC.

RIGAUD'S FLOWERS ROYALE.

RIGAUD'S F

THE CHINA MAIL.

Intimations.

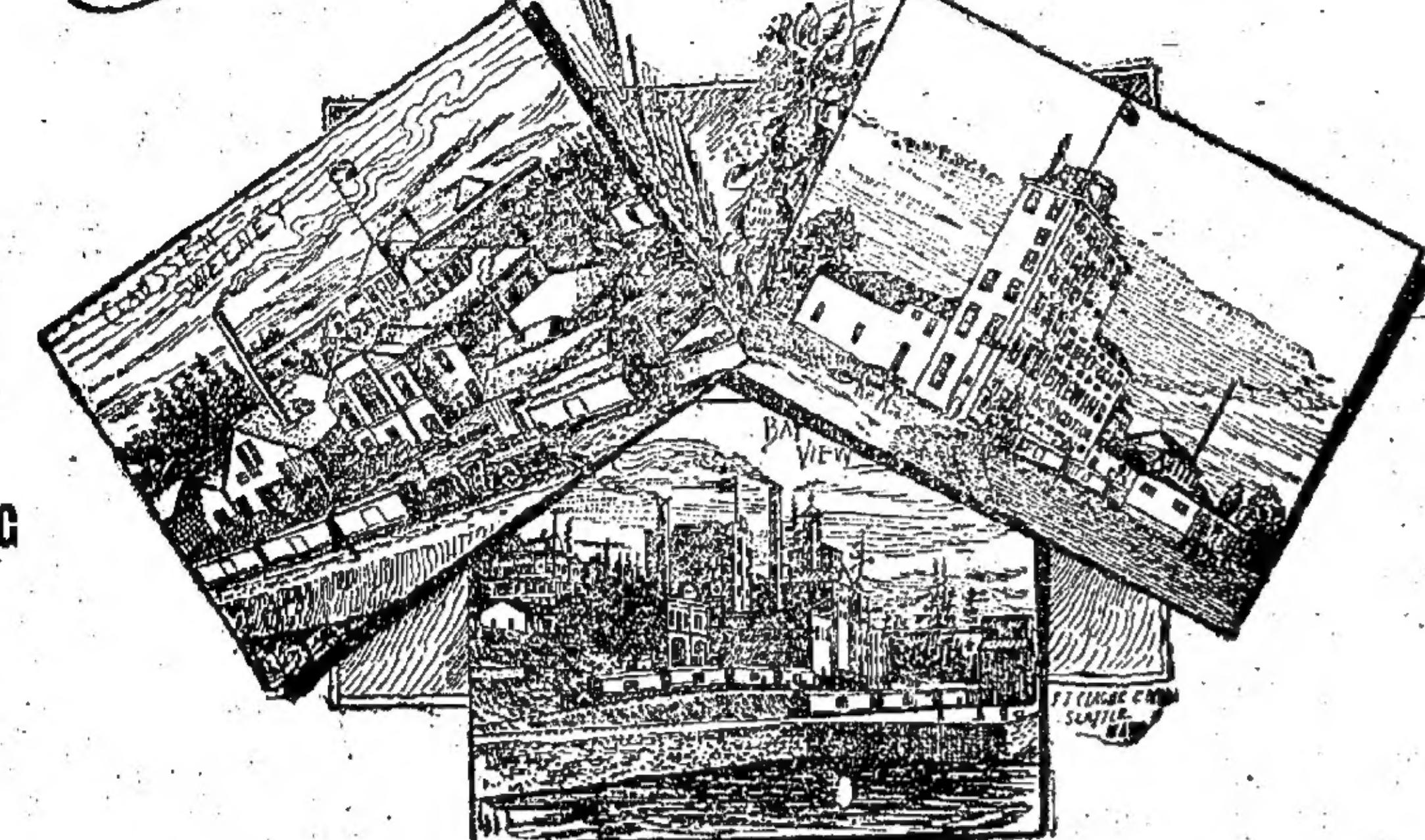
Rainier Beer, Try it!

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AN
INVIGORATING
TONIC.

A HEALTHFUL
AND
REFRESHING
DRINK.

SEATTLE BREWING & MALTING CO.



BREWED FROM
WATERS UNSUR-
PASSED FOR
PURITY.

BREWED ONLY
WITH BAVARIAN
AND
BOHEMIAN HOPS.

REMARKS.

Unsurpassed as a tonic for the ladies. Once tried by them they will agree with the remarks of our other lady friends and continue to patronize us. For the gentlemen it is a cooling and refreshing drink. All who have tried it stand by it. We only ask one trial and will then rest on our merits.

SEATTLE BREWING & MALTING CO.,
HONGKONG BRANCH,

F. BISHOP,
Acting Manager.

ICE HOUSE LANE. [1983]

INSURANCES.

UNION ASSURANCE SOCIETY.
(Instituted in the Reign of Queen Anne
A.D. 1714.)
CAPITAL FULLY SUBSCRIBED, £460,000.
CAPITAL PAID UP, £180,000.
TOTAL INVESTED FUND EXCEED £2,700,000.
TOTAL ANNUAL INCOME, £350,000.

The Underwriter, having been appointed Agent of the above Society in Hongkong, is prepared to issue POLICIES against FIRE on the usual terms.

HARRY WICKING,
1421
Agents.
Preys Central.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.
TOTAL FUNDS AT 31ST DECEMBER, 1895,
£12,433,131.

Authorised Capital..... £2,000,000.00
Subscribed Capital..... £2,750,000.00
Paid-up Capital..... £282,500.00
Fire Funds..... £2,601,016.29

Having been appointed Agents of the above Company we are prepared to accept European and Chinese RISKS at Current Rates.

SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.,
Agents.

Hongkong, July 23, 1895. 1475

Intimations.

WEEKLY NEWS FOR HOME.
The Overland China Mail.

IS PUBLISHED TO suit the Departure of each European and French Mail Steamer for Europe. It contains special Commercial Intelligence, special tables of Shipping, and other information. The various Reports of Courts and Meetings, and all other news, are given in full as they appear in the Daily news.

This Overland China Mail, by the convenience of its form and the accuracy and fulness of its reports, has long been popular with residents who would send home a weekly account of the news of Hongkong and the Far East. Circulating as it does among nearly all the old China 'hands' at Home and also among residents at the Foreign Posts and in the interior, it offers special advantages to advertisers.

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A SAMPLE THROUGH SOUTHEAST ASIA
BY MR. G. TAYLOR
With Woobours.

[Reprinted from the China Review.]

One of the Best Sketches of Foreign Life yet written.

Subscription address the above may be sent to

Geo. Murray Bain,
Overland China Mail Office, Hongkong.

Intimations.

SHARE LIST—QUOTATIONS—OCTOBER 30, 1895.

Stocks.	No. of Shares	Value	Paid-up	Closing Quotations, Cash.
BANKS.				
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp.	50,000	125	all	186 % prem. = \$357.50, sellers
Bank of China, Limited	33,950	65	50	50, prem.
preferences shares	19,952	65	2,100 prem.	
" " "	1,250	12	12	12, buyers
" " "	10	12	3,250	buyers
National Bank of China, Limited				
MARINE INSURANCE.				
Canton Insurance Office Co., Ltd.	10,000	25	50	\$184
China Traders' Insurance Co., Ltd.	24,000	83.33	25	75, sellers
North-China Insurance Co., Ltd.	5,000	100	25	110, 192½
Shansi Insurance Co., Ltd.	30,000	10	10	20, 225
Union Insurance Society, Ltd.	10,000	100	50	225
Yangtze Insurance Association, Ltd.	8,000	100	50	145, sellers
FIRES INSURANCES.				
China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	20,000	100	20	288, sales and buyers
Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	2500	50	50	540, sales and buyers
DOCKS.				
Hkong & Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd.	12,500	125	all	218 % prem. = \$397.50, buyers
STEAMBOATS.				
China and Manilla S. S. Co., Ltd.	5,000	50	all	970, sellers
Douglas Steamship Co., Limited	20,000	50	all	855, sellers
H.K. C. and M. Steamboat Co., Ltd.	30,000	15	15	10,333
Iudo-China N. S. Company, Limited	20,000	10	10	813, sellers
China Mutual S. N. Co.	20,000	10	10	25, sellers
Do. (new issue)	20,000	10	5	210, sellers
REFINERIES.				
China Sugar Company, Limited	20,000	100	all	5137, buyers
Luzon Sugar Company, Limited	7,000	100	all	545, sellers
F.I. & K. Woolf & Godown Co., Ltd.	20,000	50	all	568, sales and buyers
Wauchai Warehouse and Storage Company, Limited	2,600	100	100	373, ex div.
LAND AND BUILDING.				
Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Company, Limited	60,000	100	50	875½
Kowloon Land and Building Company	6,000	5	30	818, buyers
Humphreys' Estate & Finance Co., Ltd.	25,400	10	all	681, sales
West Point Building Co., Limited	12,500	50	40	112, sales and buyers
TRAMWAYS.				
HK. High Level Tramway Co., Ltd.	1,250	100	all	908, buyers
Mining.				
Jelob Mining & Trading Co., Ltd.	10,000	5	all	92,50, sellers
Punjion Mining Co., Ltd.	5,000	4	all	112, sellers
Societe Francaise des Charbonnages du Tonkin	12,000	Feu. 500	3	all
New Balmoral Gold Mining Co., Ltd.	10,000	2	all	\$1,75, sales
Raub Aust. Gold Mining Co., Ltd.	10,000	2	1/10/10	58,40, sales
Olivers Freehold Mines, Ltd.	15,000	5	6	57, sellers
Planting, ETC.				
China-Borneo Company, Ltd.	2,000	100	50	55 nom.
H. G. Brown & Co., Limited	6,000	50	50	50, in lit.
HOTELS, ETC.				
Hongkong Hotel Company, Ltd.	12,000	50	all	227, buyers
HOSPITALS, DISPENSARIES.				
A. S. Watson & Co., Limited	60,000	10	all	\$12.75, sales and buyers
Dakin, Outram & Co., Ltd.	30,000	5	all	nom.
H.K. and China Gas Co., Limited	7,000	10	all	\$110, buyers
Hongkong Electric Co., Limited	30,000	5	10	87.5, sellers
BRICK AND CEMENT.				
Green Island Cement Co., Ltd.	20,000	10	10	17.2, sales and sellers
BRASS MFG. & COTTON MANUFACTURERS.				
Bell's Atkinson Factors Agency, Ltd.	3,000	1	121	nom.
Gough, Moore & Co., Limited	1,200	10	all	35
Hongkong Bakery Company, Ltd.	6,000	20	all	300
Hongkong Dairy Farm Co., Ltd.	6,000	50	all	530
H'kong Hope Manufactory Co., Ltd.	10,000	75	55	55 nom.
International Cotton Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	10,000	100	100	110, sales
Lau-Kung-Mow Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ltd.	5,000	25	all	110, sales
Garfield & Co., Ltd.	5,000	50	all	110, sales
Soy Chas Union Spinning Co., Ltd.	10,000	100	100	110, buyers
JOINTS.				
Geo. Murray Bain, Owner.	10,000	100	100	110, 86
Chinese Imperial 1000 Tls. 1000 Tls. 1000 Tls. 1000 Tls.	8,000	100	100	110, 86, sellers
Princess Wilhelm	10,000	100	100	110, 86
Reina Cristina	10,000	100	100	110, 86
Roxia	10,000	100	100	110, 86
Sabla	10,000	100	100	110, 86
Sociedad Espanola	10,000	100	100	110, 86
Vivian	10,000	100	100	110, 86
Zebula	10,000	100	100	110, 86
Zembla	10,000	100	100	110, 86

Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven Sections, commencing from Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked A, near the Kowloon shore B, and those in the body of the harbour C.

Shipping or midway between each shore are marked D, in conjunction with the figures denoting the section.

- Section.**
- From Green Island to the Gas Works.
 - From Gas Works to Jardine's Wharf.
 - From Jardine's Wharf to the Harbour Master's Office.
 - From Harbour Master's to the P. & O. Co.'s Office.
 - From P. & O. Co.'s Office to Pedder's Wharf.
 - From Pedder's Wharf to the Naval Yard.

- Section.**
- From Naval Yard to Blue Buildings.
 - From Blue Buildings to East Point.
 - From East Point to Kowloon Wharf.
 - From Kowloon Wharf to North Point.
 - Jardine's Wharf.

Vessel's Name.	Date	Caption.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrived.	Consigned or Agency.	Dest.	Remarks.
Steamers.								
Activ	5 Oct.	Bill.	Brit. str.	319	June 10	1. R. Mart.	Shanghai	Kinross Dock To-day
Aden	5 Oct.	Hemmert	Brit. str.	2517	Oct. 20	2. O. & S. N. Co.		
Amigo	8 Oct.		Brit. str.	217	Oct. 25	3. Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Aurora	3 Oct.	Oulding	Brit. str.	1688	Sept. 15	4. Butterfield & Swire	Kobe	To-morrow
Avaray	3 Oct.	Farquhar	Brit. str.	1600	Oct. 10	5. Gibb, Livingston & Co.		
Bancon	3 Oct.	Wilds	Brit. str.	1110	Oct. 29	6. Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Port Darwin, &c.	To-day
Chassus	2 Oct.	Unruh	Brit. str.	150	Oct. 29	7. Butterfield & Swire		
Chungala	2 Oct.	Williams						